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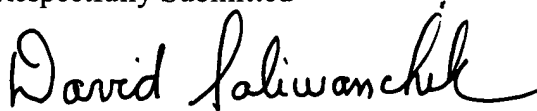
The applicants in the above-identified patent application hereby reaffirm their claim to the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 USC §119 based upon Great Britain Application No. GB 0011720.0, filed May 15, 2000 and Great Britain Application No. 0107359.2, filed March 23, 2001.

Certified copies of the two above Great Britain applications can be found in the parent application, U.S. Application Serial No. 09/855,978 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,469,020). The

applicants respectfully request that the certified copies of the foreign priority applications be made of record in the subject application pursuant to MPEP 201.14(b).

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Respectfully Submitted



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